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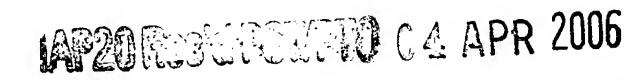
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TITLE OF INVENTION FOAM MATERIAL AND GARMENTS MADE THEREFROM								
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US								
CARROLL, John								
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:								
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	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.							
4. X	The US has been elected (Article 31).							
5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))							
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<u></u>	b. X has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9. X	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
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